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Subject: Re: EPA's Approval of the State of Florida's Request to Assume Administration of a Clean Water Act Section 404 Program

Ms. Bennett - I am truly sorry. I will make sure future correspondence is appropriately addressed to Mr. Donaldson. Tom

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 17, 2020, at 6:04 PM, Jeanine Bennett <JeanineB@miccosukeetribe.com> wrote:

Mr. McGill,

Thank you for this formal letter. Although the EPA feels its duty to consult has been fulfilled the Miccosukee do not. I have communicated this position directly to Administrator Wheeler and will continue in our efforts to be fully heard on this matter.

However, we also must note that on this formal correspondence and the formal response to the comments of the Miccosukee Tribe, you continue to include the name of Mr. Fred Dayhoff as our THPO. You all were formally noticed of Mr. Dayhoff's passing the loss to the Miccosukee people. I know you are aware that Mr. Kevin Donaldson is the designated THPO for the Tribe. Please ensure future correspondence regarding cultural sites is addressed to Mr. Donaldson and not to a person who has passed on.

Thank you,

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Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone, please forgive any errors or misspellings in email.

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Subject: EPA's Approval of the State of Florida's Request to Assume Administration of a Clean
Water Act Section 404 Program

Good afternoon,

Attached to this email is a letter signed by Jeaneanne Gettle, Director of the EPA Region 4 Water
Division, regarding the EPA's Approval of the State of Florida's Request to Assume Administration of a
Clean Water Act Section 404 Program.

If you have any questions please let us know.

Tom

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